

plan with at least one hospital on the Eastern Shore and one in the Greater Baltimore Metropolitan Area; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Governor be requested to appoint a commission to study and consider the cost and means of constructing such hospitals; and be it further*

*Resolved, That the commission should report to the Legislative Council on or before September 1, 1965.*

Approved May 4, 1965.

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No. 29

(House Joint Resolution 27)

House Joint Resolution requesting the Governor of Maryland, the Mayor of Baltimore City and the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City to cooperate in the formation of a committee to confer honors upon policemen in Baltimore City.

WHEREAS, It is often stated in the public press and in public writings that the monetary rewards for the police officer are few and inadequate; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to reward police officers for outstanding deeds of valor whether committed in uniform or off duty; and

WHEREAS, One means of rewarding an officer would be to give him permanent points toward promotion to a higher rank for the commission of outstanding deeds of valor; and

WHEREAS, A three-man committee composed of one prominent citizen of Baltimore appointed by the Governor, another prominent citizen appointed by the Mayor of Baltimore, and the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City or the Chief Inspector as his representative, should select the deeds of valor for which promotional points, not to exceed ten in number, ought to be granted to the police officers concerned; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Governor of Maryland, the Mayor of Baltimore City and the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City are requested to cooperate in the selection of a committee as referred to herein for the purpose of conferring honors upon police officers of Baltimore City for outstanding deeds of valor; and be it further*

*Resolved, That copies of this resolution are sent to the Governor of Maryland, the Mayor of Baltimore City, and to the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City.*

Approved May 4, 1965.